Introduced by Assembly Member Fuller

(Coauthor: Senator Ashburn)

May 23, 2007

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 58—Relative to the CHP Officer Erick S. Manny Memorial Highway.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

ACR 58, as introduced, Fuller. CHP Officer Erick S. Manny Memorial Highway.

This measure would designate a portion of State Highway Route 5 in Kern County as the CHP Officer Erick S. Manny Memorial Highway. The measure would also request the Department of Transportation to determine the cost of appropriate signs showing that special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources covering that cost, to erect those signs.

Fiscal committee: yes.

- 1 WHEREAS, Erick S. Manny was born on May 24, 1970, in
- 2 Bakersfield, California; and
- 3 WHEREAS, His parents were Connie J. Cummings and Albert
- 4 B. Manny; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Erick S. Manny attended Highland High School
- 6 in Bakersfield, where he was a three-sport athlete, participating in
- 7 baseball, football, and wrestling; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Erick S. Manny entered the California Highway
- 9 Patrol Academy on November 13, 2000, and, after graduating,
- was assigned to the Fort Tejon CHP office on May 11, 2001; and

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WHEREAS, Officer Manny was killed in the line of duty on December 21, 2005, when he was in pursuit of a speeding driver on State Highway Route 5 near the "Grapevine," and lost control of his patrol car; and

WHEREAS, Officer Manny was married to his high school sweetheart, Ronina "Nina" Manny, and had two wonderful children, Toran and Teagan; and

WHEREAS, Officer Manny was a dedicated officer who loved his job and enjoyed the people with whom he worked. He was a wonderful father and husband, and his greatest joys were his wife and children. In his spare time, Officer Manny enjoyed playing softball, going with family and friends to Dodgers' games, and taking the family for weekend adventures in their trailer; and

WHEREAS, It would be a fitting tribute to Officer Manny to name the portion of State Highway Route 5 from the Fort Tejon Exit to the Grapevine Exit in Kern County as the CHP Officer Erick S. Manny Memorial Highway; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate thereof concurring, That the Legislature hereby designates the portion of State Highway Route 5 from the Fort Tejon Exit to the Grapevine Exit in Kern County as the CHP Officer Erick. S. Manny Memorial Highway; and be it further

Resolved, That the Department of Transportation is requested to determine the cost of erecting the appropriate signs, consistent with the signing requirements for the state highway system, showing this special designation and, upon receiving donations from nonstate sources covering the cost, to erect those signs; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies of this resolution to the Department of Transportation and to the author for appropriate distribution.